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Sputtering target for semiconductor

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BASIC-ABSTRACT:

NOVELTY - A **sputtering target** for a semiconductor is provided to remarkably

reduce a foreign substance and to improve yield of a wafer, by rounding a

corner of a portion necessary for sputtering.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - A **corner** portion(10a) of a portion necessary for

 $\underline{\textbf{sputtering}}$ is processed to be round. A $\underline{\textbf{radius of curvature}}$ of the rounded

portion is twice a $\underline{\text{radius of a sputtering target}}$ (10) used in evaporating an

aluminum layer. When the **corner of the target** is round, a plasma region is

reduced and plasma density becomes high. Plasma is lightly formed in the

corner portion or in a front surface of the target so that a
blackening

phenomenon is reduced.

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